

Interview Summary

Application No.

10/826,480

Applicant(s)

APPARAO ET AL.

Examiner

FRED I. EHICHIOYA

Art Unit

2162

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) FRED I. EHICHIOYA.

(3) _____.

(2) Kevin Hazin (Reg. No. 53,006).

(4) _____.

Date of Interview: 11 April 2008.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference

c) ☐ Personal (copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant

2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes

e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 1 - 11, and 14 - 44.

Identification of prior art discussed: N/A.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☒ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Examiner suggested to applicant's representative (Mr. Hazin) to combine claims 20 and 22 to claims 5 and cancel claims 20 and 22 for a possible allowance; Examiner also suggested to Mr. Hazin to cancel claims 1 - 4; and cancel claims 23 - 44 to overcome possible 35 USC 101. Mr. Hazin accepted Examiner's proposition and authorizes examiner's amendment if these propositions are approved for allowance..

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN A NON-EXTENDABLE PERIOD OF THE LONGER OF ONE MONTH OR THIRTY DAYS FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

/Fred I. Ehichioya/

Examiner, Art Unit 2162

Examiner's signature, if required

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an Attachment to a signed Office action.